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PORT OF NEW YORK CLOSED TO SHIPPING

Passage of Vessels Either In or Out Was Prevented by Closing Gate in Steel Net

SOLDIERS TAKE PART IN DISORDERS

(By Associated Press)
Madrid, June 1.—Disorders participated in by soldiers have occurred in Barcelona. Several officers have been arrested and imprisoned in the fortress. When reports of the disorder became known, they were confirmed by the minister of war, who when questioned, told of the arrest of the officers.

NAVY RUSHING NEW DESTROYERS SAYS DANIELS

Washington, June 1.—Secretary of the Navy, Daniels, stated yesterday when discussing the letter a naval officer with the American forces in Europe wrote to a friend in the United States that the navy department is building all the destroyers the American shipyards will take.

(By Associated Press)
New York, June 1.—For reasons which were unexplained by the port officials, the port of New York was closed to all shipping today and the passing of vessels in or out was prevented by the shutting of the gate in the steel net.

Shortly before noon it was learned that the order had been rescinded.

RAILROAD NOTES

Boston railroad officials yesterday denied rumor that by request of the national defense committee, all Pullman cars are to be dropped from through trains and that the New Haven has already cancelled the Merchants' Limited, the Bay State Limited and other well known through trains to New York.

A New Haven official said: "The Pullman cars are not to be taken off Boston trains on our lines, and an order has been received from the war department about Pullman cars. Of course you know that the Merchants' Limited, Bay State Limited and Knickerbocker which leaves at 10 a. m., 1 p. m., and 5 p. m., and make the trip, are no special trains, but regular to New York in 5 hours and 10 minutes, running on schedule, the same as local trains."

Officials of the Boston and Albany and of the Boston and Maine railroad also denied that Pullman cars were to be taken from their trains by order of the committee.

Leroy Milliken of Saco, an employee of the Boston and Maine for forty years or more, died on Thursday at his home in that city.

THREE AMERICAN VESSELS SUNK BY GUN FIRE

Third Mate of the Dirigo is Drowned—Vessel is Looted and Later Sunk by Bombs.

FRENCH ARE PREPARING FOR NEW ATTACK

(By Associated Press)
Dispatches from the French front in France indicate the renewal of operations against the Germans as soon as the favorable moment presents itself.

The French are in more advantageous position than when they began operations in April and are still further improving their positions by local thrusts.

The British on the north are preparing for further advances after a season in which only raiding operations have taken place.

In one of the big attacks on the heights of Arras, the attacking force reached Cherisy but were not able to hold it. They have now pushed forward a little west of the place.

NO CHANGE IN HIS CONDITION.

Michael Balfour of Greenland, who was injured in the collision on Junkins avenue Wednesday night, remains about the same at the Portsmouth Hospital.

(By Associated Press)

London, June 1.—The Admiralty announced that the American sailing ship Dirigo was sunk by German submarines.

The crew were landed at Plymouth, except John Ray, the third mate, who was drowned when the small boats were launched.

A statement by the Admiralty says the vessel was attacked without warning and after she had been looted by the crew of the submarine, sunk by bombs.

The Dirigo sailed from New York and carried a crew of 31, of whom 9 were Americans.

Crew Lands at Cadiz.

London, June 1.—The American schooner Frances M. was attacked by gun fire on May 13, according to a report from Cadiz given out by the Admiralty. All of the crew are at Cadiz. The schooner Frances M. sailed from New York on April 8.

Schooner Barbara Sunk.

London, June 1.—The American sailing vessel Barbara was sunk May 24. All of the crew landed at Cadiz.

The schooner Barbara sailed on May 20 from Port Arthur, Texas, for Italy with a cargo of oil. She carried a crew of six men, besides the captain and his wife.

NEED NOT ANSWER THE QUERY

(By Associated Press)
Washington, June 1.—Young men of the country who have complained long against the question in the selective draft registration blanks asking if they claim exemption from draft have won a victory. Although too late to strike the question out, the government decided yesterday that it need not be answered.

Many young married men did not want to answer the question because they felt it would be a question of cowardice to do so. An official statement on the subject issued tonight says:

Secretary Baker of the war department announced that question 12 on the registration cards need not be answered. This is the question which reads "Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds)?"

It was felt that some slight stigma might be attached in answering the question. Discharge from draft may be claimed before the local board even though the question has not been answered on the registration card.

"TEN DAYS WITH GOD" COMMENCES TONIGHT

The ten days' special meetings planned by the local Salvation Army workers commences tonight. The Rev. Percy Caswell will speak at the opening meeting this evening. The Salvation Army has been very successful in their spiritual campaign during the past year and are expecting even more successful times during the next ten days. Adjutant Clifford of the Men's Industrial Home of Portland, Me., will be the special speaker on Saturday and Sunday. Men in uniform are especially invited to attend the meeting tonight.



Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Overcast and probable showers tonight and Saturday.

Sun Rises..... 4.10
Sun Sets..... 7.14
Length of Day..... 15.04
High Tide..... 7.49 am, 8.10 pm
Moon Sets..... 1.15 am
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 7.44 pm

Willis McDuffie and Dr. R. V. Sweet of Rochester were visitors here on Friday.

HOLD PARENTS FOR MURDER OF THEIR CHILD

Case of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wakelin of Melrose Continued Until June 9.

(By Associated Press)
Melrose, Mass., June 1.—Joseph Makelin, a farmer and his wife, Mrs. Sarah Makelin, charged with the murder of their 7-year-old daughter Loretta were ordered held without bail until June 9 by Judge Riley in the Malden police court this morning. They were not required to plead as the prosecution desired further time to prepare their

case which was granted after a conference with counsel. The police also declined to discuss their evidence which they will endeavor to substantiate the charge that the father killed the child one year ago today, while on its way home from school. The body was found strangled. The Makelins when arrested today made emphatic denials of having committed the crime.

NEWSPAPER CLAUSE WILL BE DROPPED

(By Associated Press)
Washington, June 1.—Administration leaders in the Senate have decided to let the newspaper clause of the espionage bill, as rejected by the house yesterday remain. The Senate conferees have decided to let it drop out entirely and report a bill containing only the undisputed points.

TEXAS TOWN DEVASTATED BY TORNADO

(By Associated Press)
Galveston, Texas, June 1.—Linden, a town of 150 population, six miles from this city was devastated by a tornado last night according to reports reaching here. The path of the storm took Galveston which suffered from the high wind and heavy rain storm.

GOVERNMENT NOT AIDING SOCIALISTS

(By Associated Press)
Paris, June 1.—Premier Ribot announced in the French Chamber of Deputies today that the government was not facilitating the voyage of the French socialists to the Stockholm convention.

WORKMEN WILL CURTAIL PRODUCTION

(By Associated Press)
London, June 1.—Strikes and other measures to reduce the production will be taken in 120 factories in Petrograd mostly engaged in making munitions, according to a Reuter telegram.

REDUCE NUMBER OF CANTONMENTS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, June 1.—It was stated at the war department today that the number of army cantonments would be reduced from 30 to 15 and a greater number of the men would be quartered in tents as it had been found that cost of the cantonment system would be twice as much as expected, owing to the cost of labor, material, as well as transportation and tenting.

BEATEN WHEN HE REFUSED TO REMOVE HAT

(By Associated Press)
Boston, June 1.—An unidentified man was badly beaten at a recruiting rally on Boston Common today when he refused to remove his hat when the "Marseillaise" was played. It was noticed that he stood with his hat in his hand a few minutes before when the "Star Spangled Banner" was rendered.

HEAVY GUN FIRE REPORTED FROM BERLIN

(By Associated Press)
Berlin, June 1.—Heavy gun fire reached stages of intensity over the dunes on the Belgian coast and at Ypres bend, says the official statement of the German war office.

GOETHALS CONFERS WITH WILSON ON SHIPPING PLANS

Washington, June 1.—Maj.-Gen. Goethals, general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, had a short conference with President Wilson yesterday in an effort to bring about closer co-ordination between the navy department and the shipping board that will permit fullest utilization of ship building facilities, both for navy and merchant marines.

KURDS HARASS RUSSIAN TROOPS

(By Associated Press)
Petrograd, June 1.—Kurds continue to harass the Russian and Mesopotamian fronts. Yesterday more than 1000 Kurds attacked and the fighting is still in progress.

CATER'S MARKET.

137, DANIEL ST., TEL. 120.
Fresh cut spinach, 35c pk.
Large bunch asparagus, 17c bunch.
3 Large grapefruit for 25c.
Sweet naval oranges, 25c doz.
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Men's Union Suits—Light weight, short sleeves, ankle length, slight seconds; sizes 38 to 46; regular \$1.00 value; special at..... 78c

L. E. STAPLES, Market St.

DENOUNCE THE ARREST OF EX-MINISTER

(By Associated Press)

Peking, June 1.—Progressive Chinese and more advanced vernacular newspapers in China denounce the arrest of Dr. Chen Chiu-tao, the former minister of finance as a political plot arranged to eliminate Dr. Chen Chiu-tao from the cabinet and turn the finances of China over to some old time Chinese, who will not object to having government funds used for political purposes without a strict accounting.

The charge of bribery made against the deposed minister of finance, is based on alleged attempt on the part of a number of merchants to corrupt him in connection with a concession to smelt small Chinese coins and convert them into ingots. The copper in the ordinary Chinese cash is worth far more at present prices than the face of the coins. It is against the Chinese law to melt such coins. However, merchants desired to obtain a special concession from the government to engage in the reduction of coins to copper ingots.

Great secrecy has been thrown around the prosecution of the doctor. He was denied foreign counsel, and was also denied native counsel. Bonds for his release were refused, in spite of the fact that many responsible Chinese were willing to become his sureties. He was locked in a special room with guards at the court, and held there beyond the reach of his family and friends.

This treatment has been denounced by many Chinese papers as medieval and worthy of the tyranny of the old Manch dynasty. Foreigners in China and newspapers under foreign control were almost unanimous in expressing their belief in Dr. Chen Chiu-tao's innocence.

Repeated attempts have been made to force him out of office. Officials unfriendly to him have charged that he was partial to American interests, and made frequent efforts to displace his predecessor. He was a personal selection of President Lo Yuan-hung for the ministry of finance, but had never been especially acceptable to Premier Tuan Chih-jui and other Chinese high in the government who have reactionary tendencies.

DEFENDS MEN OF GERMAN NAME

Washington, June 1.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels yesterday denounced as unfair and unjust the intimations and insinuations that had come to him in various ways that officers of the United States navy bearing German names might be lacking in loyalty.

Picking up a naval register and reading the names of many prominent officers who bear German names the secretary asserted that he knew a number of them personally and liked them to be most patriotic and loyal in their service of the nation's interest.

"I am getting pretty tired," said the secretary and much disgusted over the attempts that have been made to doubt the loyalty of hundreds of men of German name in the navy just because they bear German names. I have found them to be men of true American ideals, loyal in their service of the government and ready to sacrifice their lives for their country. It is an outrage, almost treason for persons to cast reflections upon these officers."

Secretary Daniels's defense of the loyalty of officers of German name in the navy service was drawn out by the publication of a report that Admiral Mayo was to be displaced as commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet by Admiral Winterhalter, until recently in command of the Asiatic fleet. In connection with the publication of this report it had been intimated in a newspaper that Admiral Winterhalter had entertained pro-German sentiments until just before this country's declaration of a state of war with Germany.

"I have a telephone and can be reached any hour of the day or night," said Mr. Daniels. "There is no justification for the publication of such a report as that to the effect that Admiral Mayo was to be displaced as commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet by Admiral Winterhalter. There is no foundation of truth for the report. Admiral Mayo has been filling his post of duty as commander-in-chief of the fleet with the fullest satisfaction and has been discharging his duties with the greatest responsibility of that position."

"It is not to be succeeded by Admiral Winterhalter. Admiral Winterhalter had finished his duty and was ordered to duty on the general board just as other fleet commanders, like Admirals Badger and Fletcher were ordered to duty with the general

board to enable the navy to get the benefit of their experience in the work of the general board."

"If a man has a German name," said the secretary of the navy, reading some of the most prominent names on the list of officers of great capacity and ability in the navy, "some persons try to contribute to them a lack of loyalty. Any man who throws a doubt upon them because they have such names is trying to destroy the confidence of the American people in its navy."

"Since I have been in this position I have been associated in the navy department with a number of officers who have German names, and I repeat the intimation, stated or implied, that officers of German names in the naval service are lacking in loyalty. These men are so loyal and true to American ideals in this war that any suggestion of disloyalty on their part—I don't know what to say about it—it makes me so indignant at a time like this."

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, June 1. Mrs. Henry Wildes is entertaining Mrs. Dana and Miss Wood of Cambridge, Mass., at her summer home here.

Mrs. Charles Patey, daughter Alice and Mrs. Albert Full were visitors in Portsmouth on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Terrian have returned to their home in Kennebunk, Me., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fletcher of Fox's Lane.

The Intermediate society of Young people held a social at the parsonage of the First Christian church last evening which was well attended.

Mrs. Clarence Dyer was a visitor in Dover on Thursday.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Baptist church was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Thomas Bray on Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was very pleasantly passed in sewing after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart returned to their home in Cambridge, Mass., after passing a few days in town.

Prof. Roland Thaxter, daughter Miss Elizabeth and friends of Cambridge, Mass., are passing a few days at their summer home on Cutts Island.

Mrs. Harry Cary of West Newbury, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cary for a few days.

Rev. Manning Tobey of Taunton, Mass., passed Thursday in town on business.

The Willing Workers met all day Thursday with Mrs. Victor Amee of the Lytton. The time was devoted to sewing for the French wounded. Dinner was served by the hostess.

Miss Emma Adams of Crockett's Neck road spent Thursday with relatives in Portsmouth.

Fred Libby of Boston passed the holiday with his family in town.

Mrs. Annie Keniston of Ellet was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Frank C. Peabody on Thursday.

The ladies will meet with Mrs. Lucy Weeks this evening to work for the French Wounded.

Miss Jean Boyd of the Crockett's Neck road has had a telephone installed in her summer home.

Col. H. B. Scott of Burlington, Iowa, passed a few hours at his summer residence here on Gerish Island.

FAMOUS YACHT, NOW IN SERVICE OF U. S. A.

"Nokomis," Owned by H. E. Dodge, Detroit Motor Car Manufacturer, Given Over for War Duty.

Detroit's conception of what war means has been considerably broadened by the departure of the luxurious steam yacht "Nokomis," owned by H. E. Dodge, motor car manufacturer, "for duty on the high seas in the service of the United States navy." Herebefore the "Nokomis" has been looked upon—and was—a pleasure palace afloat. Now she becomes an instrument of war—and the public mind begins to grasp the significance of the transformation.

The "Nokomis," considered one of the finest yachts afloat, was offered to the government shortly after America's declaration of war. Less than two weeks ago Mr. Dodge was notified of her acceptance and preparations for the more serious business of fighting, as compared with the delights of smooth sailing on the lakes, began immediately. On May 16, she cleared from her coaling dock in Detroit, bound for the St. Lawrence river, the Gulf and New York. At the latter port she will be formally taken over by the government, although a naval officer was nominally in command from the moment she left Detroit. Exact plans for the future of the "Nokomis" are withheld by the government, but it is known that her name will be changed and that she will soon appear in full naval attire.

The departure of the vessel was signified by a farewell reception given aboard her by Mr. Dodge for a few friends who had been his guests on frequent cruises.

The "Nokomis" is a 303-ton yacht of steel construction, 180 feet over all and with an extreme breadth of 23.7 feet. She is equipped with triple expansion, four-cylinder engines and is capable of 18 knots per hour. She was built by the Robins drydock, South Brooklyn, New York and launched in December, 1913. Since June 4, 1914, when she made her first trial run, she has cruised 35,000 miles, which is said to be the yachting record for the great lakes during a period of this length. The value of the "Nokomis" is approximately \$250,000.

The Herald's list of poets has overtaxed our news columns of late.

IMPROVEMENT IN RECRUITING IN AUSTRALIA

(By Associated Press)

Sydney, Australia, June 1.—Recruiting in Australia for the Australian army on the western and other fronts is showing slow but appreciable improvement over the figures of a few months ago. Professor Ronald G. McIntyre of Sydney University, head of the recruiting organization in the state of New South Wales, says the figures for the last three months of this year show a total enlistment of 115,263 men.

Director-General of Recruiting Donald Mackinnon said after a two weeks recruiting tour in New South Wales and Queensland: "Interest in the war is much keener than it was two months ago and the recruiting officers and organizers are decidedly hopeful with regard to the future. I found everywhere I went that the people were prepared to accept the facts as to the meaning of the German submarine campaign and as to the effect of financial pressure in Great Britain. But while our reinforcements are increasing in numbers they are still a long, long way below requirements."

MUST END WAR SAYS WORKS

New York, June 1.—A report of his committee on American liberty, which pledged support to all conscientious objectors to the conscription law, and a telegram from former United States Senator Works of California, in which he said "We dishonored ourselves by declaring war without adequate or reasonable cause," were features of this afternoon's session of the so-called first American conference on democracy and terms of peace.

Several speakers severely criticized the government. Gilbert B. Roe, president of the Free Speech League of America said that "within the last 60 days we have completely transformed our government and the people have nothing to say about it."

"Worse than Chattel Slavery," Norman L. Thomas, addressing the meeting on "conscientious objection," charged that "the attempt to force a man to fight is worse than the imposition of chattel slavery."

Former Senator Works in his telegram said in part:

"I am conscientiously opposed to the war and in favor of bringing it to a speedy close by any and every legitimate way consistent with the honor of our country. We dishonored ourselves by declaring war without adequate or reasonable cause. We should do the country the honor of correcting that fatal mistake as soon as possible. The people of this country do not want war. If the issue had been left to them we would be at peace now. Having been brought into war against their will they should stand firmly for peace and use every proper means to bring it about. Alliance with foreign nations should not be tolerated. Our hands should be kept entirely free to negotiate peace at any time without regard to the interests or desires of any other nation."

The report of the committee on American liberties, of which the Rev. Richard W. Hoggue, director of the Civic Forum of Baltimore, is chairman, urged "abolition of secret diplomacy," and added:

"We demand democratic control of our foreign policy. We call for a referendum on questions of war and conscription. We insist on discussion in congress, in the press and in public meetings of the terms of all alliances, agreements and treaties. It seems to be the intention of the government now to forbid even the discussion of their terms of peace in the press and in public meetings."

With reference to conscientious objectors, the report said: "It is contrary to American tradition to force them to enroll for war service against their conscience."

"We also declare," the report added, "that all Americans are entitled to pass points to neutral countries. Legislation now pending in congress, if passed, will make this country more autocratic than Russia under the rules of the czar."

NEWCASTLE

New Castle, June 1.—The survival of patriotic sentiment among our people was demonstrated in the war interest with which they participated in Portsmouth's ceremonies Wednesday. From the little school child to the aged veteran all did their bit to pay tribute to the heroes in "The Little Green Tent" and in loving memory of the American sailors buried at sea.

In the morning the children from the grammar school under the direction of their teacher, Miss Chapman, and the primary school, led by their teacher, Miss Trefethen, marched to the first New Castle bridge and held the following most interesting exercises:

Singing—"Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," by Grammar and Primary Schools.

Poem Grammar School.

Singing—"Tired, Tired, Tired!" Grammar and Primary Schools.

Recitation Arthur Hurley.

Reading Delmar Prichard.

Speeches by the following: Dorothy Becker, Anna Horning, Virginia Chesley, Celia Williams, Anna White, Hilda Ricker, Alice Melton. Pledge by School.

Singing—"America" Grammar and Primary Schools. After which the line was reformed and they marched to their school buildings. The concise manner in which the exercises were carried out, attested to the esteem and desire to please their teachers who had so patiently and carefully trained them. As this is their initial observance it will undoubtedly be indelibly stamped with patriotic fervor upon the walls of memory.

Mr. R. E. Poole had returned from a very pleasant visit with relatives in Springfield, Mass.

Mr. Elias Bachelor, and daughter, Theresa of Boston, passed Decoration Day in the island town.

Mr. George Simpson of the Wallis Sands life-saving station, has returned to his duties after a short leave of absence.

Mr. Charles Young of Boston is visiting his family.

Mrs. Leander White is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Tarlton have returned from a visit with their son in Springfield, making the return trip by motor.

Mr. Jettie Ernest of Portsmouth is passing the day with Mr. George Melton and family.

Mrs. Shultz of Philadelphia is the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Young.

Miss Eleanor Urich is the name bestowed upon the recent addition to the Stuart family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batson have returned from a visit with relatives in Salem, Mass.

Rev. George B. Frost of Andover, Mass., is the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Katherine Preble has returned from a six weeks' sojourn with her children in Boston.

Miss Mattie Jones of Salem, Mass., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Florence Batson.

In the death of James Baker, New Castle loses another link which binds it to the past.

TO DEAL WITH HIGH COST OF NECESSITIES

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City, May 31.—Alberto Riani, minister of commerce and industry has called the first Mexican commercial congress to take place in the capital in June. The congress will be under the auspices of the National Chamber of Commerce and will discuss important matters dealing with the high cost of necessities in Mexico and the distribution and augmentation of foodstuffs and the distribution of labor throughout the republic.

RECOMMENDS CONSTRUCTION OF SUBMARINE

(By Associated Press)

Peking June 1.—The minister of the navy, Chen Chiu-tao, has submitted a proposal to the Chinese cabinet for the construction of 30 submarines to assist in the protection of the Chinese coast. No action has been taken as yet by the government on the recommendation.

BURROUGHS 904 VOTES IN LEAD

Concord, June 1.—With official returns at hand from all but eight towns in the first New Hampshire district, Sherman E. Burroughs, republican, has a lead of 904 votes over Patrick H. Sullivan, democrat, in the special election, held Tuesday to name a successor to Congressman Cyrus A. Sullivan.

These eight towns, all nominally Republican, are expected to bring Burroughs' lead up to approximately the newspaper estimate.

The towns making an Albany, Durham, Hampton Falls, London, Litchfield, Plaistow, Rollisford and Seabrook.

In the returns thus far received at the state house, Charles Green, Socialist candidate, is credited with 85 votes. There were also a few scattering ballots marked for Major Charles E. Tilton of Tilton, and Gordon Woodbury of Bedford, both Democrats.

"LIBERTY BELLES" AT THE COLONIAL NEXT WEEK

The management of the Colonial Theatre has secured for the coming week one of the finest musical comedy companies that is now touring the Eastern states. Harry Weston and his Liberty Belles, comprising some of the greatest talent to be found in musical comedy, is an attraction that will merit the attendance of every music loving person, and the week's engagement in this city is sure to be a most enjoyable one for all concerned.

As an extra added attraction the management will introduce for the first time in New England, the Five Metzetts, in acrobatic revelations that will cause you to ejaculate: "The Greatest and Greatest Ever!"

DR. E. S. COWLES RENEW'S FIGHT FOR CHILDREN

Richmond, Va., June 1.—Application for a writ of error was made before Supreme Court Judge Prentiss yesterday by counsel for Dr. Edward S. Cowles, formerly of Boston, with a view to having the Virginia appellate court decide whether Circuit Judge Tyler erred in recently granting Mrs. Florence Jaquith Cowles, his divorced wife, custody of their two little girls. It will probably be several days before Judge Prentiss determines whether a writ shall be granted. If he acts favorably on the petition, the appellate court will pass on the case on its merits at its next session.

Dr. Cowles' lawyers have their petition chiefly on the ground that Judge Tyler erred in excluding certain evidence as to qualifications of Mrs. Cowles for custody of the children. Technical legal objections to Judge Tyler's rulings are also raised.

Mrs. Cowles returned to Boston with the children after winning her fight

BE A MAN...

It's a mighty good thing while you're running life's race. Just to pause as you go and come face to face. With your conscience, and ask it a question or two. For it's right you should know what your life means to you.

Have you done things worth while? Have you drifted along? Have you filled it with sighs, have you filled it with song? Have you helped when you should have you tried to do right, Have you struggled for good, or just fought for might?

Have you given your hand to some fellow in need? Have you sneered at the man who was not of your creed? Have you been open-hearted and ready to do? Have you tried to be just, have you tried to be true?

Oh, it's easy to preach and it's easy to tell. Of the other chap's faults—but our own faults, ah well. We are cowards at times and the truth you will find. Is a thing we dislike, for it's rather unkind.

But the past, let it rest. Give a thought to today. And tomorrow, as well, for the time's growing gray. Do the thing that you should, do the thing that you can. Crown your life with your deed, be a red-blooded man.

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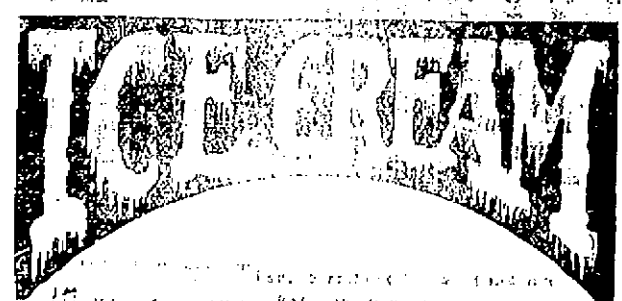
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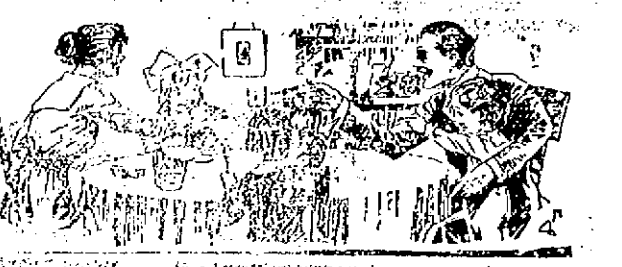
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CENSORSHIP CLAUSE DEFEATED IN HOUSE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 31.—The administration's attempt to force the passage of a newspaper war censorship upon Congress was finally killed today when the house refused by a vote of 184 to 141 to accept the modified censorship section of the Espionage bill. The Senate had already voted the measure down some days ago when considering the bill. Leaders of the House and Senate tonight expressed the opinion that the administration would not again attempt the forcing of the passage of a war censorship immediately although another attempt might be made later.

Democrats joined with the Republicans in voting against this measure although eleven Republicans deserted the party by voting in favor of the resolution to write into the bill the censorship clause.

Conferees of the House are ready to report the espionage bill to the House and the Senate conferees will report the bill tomorrow. It is likely that the bill will be passed before the end of the week. Some of the conferees are of the opinion that some of the spy laws are too drastic but there is every indication that the bill will not be further changed by discussion and the final vote will come on Saturday.

AMERICAN CITIZENS IN PEKING PLEDGE THEIR LOYALTY

Peking, May 31.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—More than six hundred American citizens gathered at the American legation following the announcement that America had declared war against Germany, and adopted the following resolution:

"We, the undersigned American residents in Peking, China, wish to convey to the President and Government of the United States a pledge of loyalty and to offer our services unreservedly to the great cause of the rights of nations."

The Americans assembled at the invitation of Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Neville, of the United States Marine Corps, at a mass dinner in the American barracks, which was attended by Dr. Paul S. Reber, the American minister, and all official Americans in Peking as well as prominent civilians.

At the conclusion of the dinner the American minister delivered a brief address, in which he emphasized the statement that the United States did not declare war until it became apparent that German policy threatened the peace and security of every nation on earth. He spoke also of the change which had come over Russia, and said that the present war had sounded the doom of all tyrannical government and could not end until Germany had freed herself from the evil system which was once believed to be firmly entrenched in that unhappy country.

Dr. Robert McNatt, McElroy, who was professor of history at Princeton University and is in China this year as exchange lecturer, spoke on "What we are fighting for." Dr. McElroy said: "Our ancestors fought for the rights of men and secured them to us. We are fighting for the rights of nations to secure them to our remotest descendants. Our ancestors fought and crushed the theory of the super-man. We are fighting the theory of super-nation, the theory that there is given to the strong nation a divine right to trample upon the weak nation."

"Our ancestors, by determined effort, cleared the king's highways of robbers by giving to the weakest and poorest the inalienable protection of a law which distinguished themselves there, and heard from them stories of the series of actions, details of which were not obtainable in the thick of the engagements."

FOUGHT THEIR WAY INCH BY INCH WITH HAND GRENADE

(By Associated Press)

French Front, May 31.—Some of the most dashingly acts of heroism of the great war are related in connection with the capture and holding, in spite of desperate German resistance, by the French colonial troops, of the farm of Hurlbise. This place has been often mentioned in the official communication of the war office, in the course of the recent battle for the possession of the Chemin des Dames, or Road of the Women, to the west of Arras. The Associated Press correspondent who watched the whole of the fighting in this vicinity, later came into touch with many officers and men who had

distinguished themselves there, and heard from them stories of the series of actions, details of which were not obtainable in the thick of the engagements. Hurlbise farm, now as in 1811 when Blucher was turned out of it by Marshals Ney and Drouot under the eyes of Napoleon's army, is really the key of the position, since those who possess it are in command of all the observation points dominating the valleys.

The Germans had decided to hold it at any cost, and they had constructed a most skillful system of defensive works, consisting of deep fields of barbed wire entanglements, trenches and shelters in which were disposed dozens of machine guns. Notwithstanding all the difficulties of the task the colonial infantry which formerly was the French Marine Infantry Corps, stormed the position and took it on the morning of April 16.

It was feared that the Germans would make an attempt to regain the position, so valuable to them, and during the night of April 17 a regiment of Zouaves was sent to relieve the Colonialists who were exhausted and had suffered much from exposure, after the fight, to cold winds and heavy snow and rain.

The battalions of the Zouaves were delayed to the right and left of where the farm had once stood and on each side of the ruins of the monument commemorating the Napoleonic battle. They lay in the German demolished trenches and in shell holes with bodies of dead soldiers all about them and as they lay they scraped up the earth with their trenching implements so as to form some sort of defense. A third battalion was held in reserve.

In front of the Zouaves was a stretch of ground interspersed with deep ravines and wooded ravines, which descended down to the valley of Vanclere and the banks of the river Ailette.

Here for seven days the Zouaves fought their way for seven days with hand grenades under a constant barrage from the German big guns and all the time exposed to the sweeping showers of machine gun bullets. The Germans fought with determined

vigor sticking to every point until actually forced out.

The line was very uneven, some of the sections of Zouaves having advanced further than their comrades, and often islands of Germans held out and pestered the French troops from the flanks. Progress had to be made from shell hole to shell hole, until, eventually, the Germans by capturing the German Dusseldorf trench, were able to command an advantageous position and straighten and solidify their line.

Even then the Germans did not give up hope and on April 25 opened a strong counter-attack, for which the First Regiment of the Prussian Guard was brought specially into line. The left of the French line held firm, but the right gave way slightly, and a French counter-attack had later to be carried out to regain the ground lost.

Some of the men of an Algerian trail battalion had been almost cut off, but they were relieved by the Zouaves and other battalions and some of the Prussian guard were taken prisoners.

One Zouave, who in peace times is a Parisian confectioner, while making his way across the shell-like ground fell among a patrol of Prussian guards men and was captured. He did not lose his wits, although some of his captors treated him with the greatest brutality. He was ordered to the rear through a communication trench and was accompanied in that direction by a number of guardsmen. His captors who had come on the scene only that morning, soon lost their way in the maze of twisting trenches and virtually left it to their prisoners to show them the way.

Suddenly an idea of tricking them struck him and instead of turning to the right he turned to the left and soon he and his captors found themselves looking into the muzzles of Zouave rifles. The prisoner shouted "Fire, my lads." He threw himself on the ground and seized an abandoned rifle, with which he killed one of his captors. Most of the others surrendered.

BURROUGHS TO LEAVE TUESDAY FOR WASHINGTON

WILL BE ACCOMPANIED TO THE
CAPITOL BY MR. TOPPING AS
HIS SECRETARY.

Manchester, May 31.—Congressman-elect, Sherman H. Burroughs delivered a Memorial Day address at Brentwood Wednesday. He returned to Manchester late last night. This morning he was at his desk in his old offices in the Merchants' Bank building.

Mr. Burroughs will wind up his immediate law business within the next few days. He expects to leave for Washington as soon as he gets his certificate of election, which will be the matter of a few days. The official returns have to reach the secretary of state at Concord and later have to be canvassed by the governor and council. Governor Hayes has already called a special meeting of his council for Monday next and this matter will be taken up.

Probably Mr. Burroughs will leave for Washington on Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. He will be accompanied by William H. Topping, formerly secretary to the late Congressman Sullivan.

FIRE ALARM AGAIN BUCKS AS USUAL

Once more the Portsmouth fire alarm is on the blink and the election of a new superintendent seems to have accomplished nothing in regard to correcting its faults. From all indications the election of any number of new superintendents would have the same result and until the system is pulled out and entirely rebuilt, according to the opinion of several city officials, trouble will continue.

On Thursday evening box 26 was sounded and the bell and whistle worked perfectly on the first two rounds while on the two last rounds the last three strokes of the bell were so rapid as to make it almost impossible to count. For the first time in so far as is known, one of the tappers in a fire station was out of gear, the tapper at the Hanover street station, the home of the auto combination, recording 36 on its four rounds. Box 25 is nearly two miles distant from box 26 and the flying squad had a nice unnecessary joy ride of nearly four miles before arriving at the fire. The chemical is one of the best pieces of fire apparatus the city owns but if the fire alarm system is going to continue sending the flying squad on wild goose chases every time there is an alarm the finest means of fire protection the city owns might just as well be somewhere else as here.

ITALIAN POET INSPIRES MEN IN BATTLE

(By Associated Press)

Udine, Italy, May 31.—Austrian assaults at San Giovanni, south of the Piave plateau, were met with hand to hand fighting today. Among the defenders of the positions was Gabriele d'Annunzio, the Italian poet and play-writer, who inspired the soldiers to the greatest pitch of patriotism and heroism. The Austrian force was annihilated.

PARENTS ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE

(By Associated Press)

Melrose, Mass., June 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wakelin, father and mother of little Loretta Wakelin, the seven-year old child which was found brutally murdered in the woods a mile from her home about a year ago, were arrested early this morning charged with the murder. The police refused to make any statements as to the facts which led to the arrest of the parents. The arrests were made on a warrant issued by the Malden Court.

For nearly a year the police departments of Boston, Melrose, Malden, and the state have been quietly conducting investigations in connection with the murder which shocked the entire community at the time of its occurrence. The dead body of the child was found in the woods about a mile from the home by the child's father, who said that she had returned home from school for a book which she had forgotten to take with her in the morning.

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"If you and I and all others will buy as much as we can afford, without indulging in wasteful extravagance, business will be good. Let us all talk 'normal buying and selling' wherever we go—and because actions speak louder than words, let us practice normal buying."

"For if you and I let our buying money remain idle—if we virtually hoard it instead of spending it—we retailers will buy less from the manufacturers, the manufacturers will buy less from producers of raw materials, people will be laid off and their lessened buying will affect other retailers, manufacturers and employees—and so on, along a chain until finally the depression, which you and I have helped start, will land back in our midst, like a boomerang. Then you and I won't have the money to buy."

"Prosperity in this country will win the war. If you and I interfere with that prosperity by foolish economy, we not only hurt ourselves but we become enemies of our own flesh and blood."

"We must wisely spend our money or we won't have money to spend. That sounds paradoxical but it is as certain as the rising of the sun."

"Don't now let the money you can afford to spend and hold up your end in promoting 'Dollar Day' patriotism which is as essential to our victory as existing to light."

"Tear out this appeal and read it to the 'False Alarmists,' the 'Mystical Hoaxers,' and to those who are not doing their share of normal buying owing to groundless fears or misconceptions."

"If you do not own a car but had expected to buy one this year, buy it. It is foolish economy to deprive your family of a car when you have the money to purchase it."

"Arthur Brisbane, the famous thinker, says: 'You pay for running water, as a matter of course. Just as important, just as valuable to health is the running air that fills your lungs and clears your blood as your car rushes through it.'"

"The one thing we enjoy and own in this beautiful earth."

"A car enables you, your family and your friends to know and see this earth and enjoy it fully. To call a car 'luxury' if you are able to own and enjoy it, is trivial nonsense. As well call running water and a bathtub in your house 'luxury.'"

"If you had intended to trade in your old car for a new one, go ahead and do it. If you have decided on the make of the new car, go and get it. Enjoy your self doubly by its purchase—1st, in the pleasure of its ownership—2nd, in the knowledge that by buying it you've helped fight going to keep the nation in smooth running order."

CHANGE THEIR OPINIONS WITH CHAMELEON-LIKE RAPIDITY

(By Associated Press)

Tokio May 31.—Bureaucratic statesmen of Japan seem blind to the political currents of the world and try to stem the rising tide by means of old fashioned ideas and exploded doctrines. asserted Morokazu Okuma, the former premier and opponent of the present Teruchi administration, in comment upon the political situation in Japan and the recent election. In this election the Teruchi government was victorious.

Absence of a strong controlling power was most seriously felt in Japan, added Morokazu Okuma. The consequence was, in his opinion, that the people have no fixed or stable political views and change their opinions with chameleon-like rapidity.

The former premier remarked that about 15 years ago when Prince Katsura was at the head of the government, the work of the Russian scholar, Mr. Pobedonostzeff, in support of the

despotism was translated into Japanese and printed copies of the translation were distributed among all the government officials throughout Japan. Subsequently as the result of war with Japan, Russia became a constitutional country, but among the Japanese there are some who are still intoxicated with his political philosophy.

The result, he said, is that the statesmen who are imbued with these political doctrines, ignore the rights of the diet and bring public opinion into submission to official authority. In Russia, too, he declared, there were some statesmen who believed in the virtues of Pobedonostzeff's political philosophy and tried to carry on a diplomatic system of administration. The result had been the downfall of the Romanoff dynasty. It is not only in Russia, he declared, but also in Germany—a hotbed of bureaucracy—that statesmen appear to be awakening to the political needs of the age.

DRASTIC MEASURE AGAINST HORDING OF FOODSTUFFS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 31.—Hording, storing or destroying foodstuffs is made a felony in the first of the administration's food bill which was passed by the House today without the registration of a vote. The section provides for the punishment of a violation of this clause by a sentence in the penitentiary of not less than six months nor more than three years.

Farmers storing produce raised on their own land are exempt from this clause the measure being aimed at the middlemen and professional food manipulators who hoard foodstuffs for the purpose of manipulating prices for personal gain.

That it will not rain today, figured up 4.45 inches, as compared with 3.51 normal, showing an excess of 1.04 inches for the month.

Temperatures have shown a deficiency of 182 degrees, or an average temperature for the month of about 59.7, which is the lowest since 1882, when the figure was 59.4. This is six degrees below the normal average.

There was a disturbance extending from Ontario southward over the top

of the month of May showing the backwardness of spring have not been completed by the Weather Bureau. The total precipitation for the month, on the assumption

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VOLTS WHILE ON POLE.

Fred Barlow, for several years employed as a lineman by the New England Telephone Company, was instantly killed on Thursday afternoon by electricity while working on a pole near the B. & M. station at Newmarket. How the accident occurred is not determined but it is supposed that while working with one of the high tension wires of the Rockingham Light and Power Company carrying 2300 volts, Barlow was removed from the pole and a physician called. A pulmotor was used in an effort to restore circulation but he failed to respond and it is believed that death was instantaneous. Barlow was married and had one son. He lived at Exeter.

ALMS HOUSE DESTROYED BY DYNAMITE

The old Portsmouth alms house, which has stood on the so-called almshouse field for a long number of years was destroyed last evening under the direction of Harry Wood of the firm of Saxe and Wood three shots of dynamite being used in its demolition. A large crowd was gathered to see the blowing up of the building and owing to the ample precautions taken by the firm no accidents occurred.

The first shot was fired at 9:20 and two others were fired before another hour had passed. The wrecking of the building was completely successful.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, June 1, 1917.

The Time for Economy.

Two radically different ideas are advanced as to how people should conduct their personal affairs and govern their expenditures during the period of the war. One cry is "Business as usual," this meaning that all should spend their money about as they have been in the habit of doing, thus keeping all the means of production busy and money in circulation for much the same purposes as if there were no war. Another contention is that this is the time for genuine economy on the part of all, who, without unreasonable scrimping, should make a dollar go as far as possible, the advocates of this course appearing to realize that with taxes and the cost of living increasing as they are there will be little danger of money suffering from the lack of circulation.

One newspaper advocating the "Business as usual" program says: "Upon American business devolves a large burden of responsibility for the successful conduct of the war. To acquit itself with credit it must have the confidence and support of the public. Money must be kept in circulation and the 'Business as usual' program must prevail. The wave of prosperity is on the rise, not receding. Americans of all classes should view the situation squarely and intelligently. It is the part of patriotism as well as wisdom."

But Edward A. Filene of Boston, a director of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, does not talk that way. He condemns the protests and arguments against war economy. "Business," he says, "has but one duty today, and that is to do the thing that will bring victory at the earliest possible moment. And business cannot serve two masters. Even before the war our productive capacity was taxed to the limit. We simply cannot fill all the added demands of war and at the same time satisfy all of the appetites of peace." Mr. Filene adds that "our job is war and 'Business as usual,'" and says that an attempt to have business and everything else go along in the usual way will hamper the fighting effectiveness of the nation and prolong the war.

And this newspaper is inclined to agree with Mr. Filene. The war is going to be a very expensive affair. The financial burden will be severe and no class will be exempt. High as is the cost of living, no one knows what it will be in a year from now. For this reason it would seem to be the part of common prudence to guard against all unnecessary expenditures and to conserve our financial strength, whether this be large or small, against the time when the pinch may be even harder than it is now. The people of this country like business, but they cannot afford to artificially stimulate it at such a time as the present, and they should not attempt to.

Calling the food speculators robbers and pirates and talking about stringing them up to lamp posts, as has been done in the United States Senate in the last few days, may be well enough so far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough. It will take something besides talk, no matter how savage, to bring to terms these leeches upon the body social, and it is high time to apply it.

President Wilson has designated the week ending June 25 as Red Cross week, when all will be invited and expected to do all in their power to further the work of this great organization for the relief of suffering. And without doubt there will be a generous response, notwithstanding all that is being done from day to day.

England is preparing to regulate the supply and price of coal, and unless conditions change in this country similar action may become necessary here. The people of such a country as this must not be allowed to starve to death or freeze to death.

Slowly but surely the horrors of the foreign war are dawning upon our citizens. The attempt to muzzle the press, thank God, has up to the present failed, and the public may, for the time being, receive the news from day to day.

The feeling of the American people over the failure of the President to allow Colonel Roosevelt to lead an army in France increases day by day.

Japan is said to be withdrawing gold from the United States in large amounts. Well, the stuff is here for all whose drawing cards are strong enough.

President Wilson has subscribed for a \$10,000 Liberty Bond. Every cub reporter would do the same if he had a salary of \$75,000 a year.

Why should America turn down volunteers who want to go to France to fight?

How long will you be able to recognize our once free Ant-

From the Exchanges

War-Warped Gospel

(From the Minneapolis Journal)
War with its untold horrors has roused more than ordinary interest in those mystic utterances of Sacred Writ that seem to some to prefigure the last days of the earth, the destruction of things terrestrial and the final "deliverance of the saints."

The question that just now comes up for answer is: Are these the "last days" agentially spoken of in these mystic writings? Many pupils are undertaking to answer these questions and many men are invoking the authority of Scripture to prove every view of the question. As yet no one has settled the question, nor does anyone seem nearer the solution than men were a thousand years ago.

If it is impossible to tell at the present time when the end of the human race on earth is to be, or approximately what unpreventable thing is to happen to the race between this time and that, it would seem to be the part of wisdom in the men who are alive and abode in the present moment, to spend as little of their valuable working hours as possible in trying to guess the future's long riddle—particularly so, in view of the fact that today is so full of interesting, important and insistent duties, and that today is the only day in which we are alive and able to work.

If speculation on the future better fits us for the present duty, then such speculation is a present in itself. Thus any view of the other world that looks bright and puts hope into men of good will, is plainly wholesome as a stimulant to good works. Any forward look that fills the mind with gloom, pessimism and anxious foreboding, is by the same token, unwholesome.

Christ clearly called His disciples to a hopeful business. He commissioned them to lead a conquering army, not a forlorn hope. The four Gospels—four little books, free from fog as to the whole duty of man—are full of cheer and promise of victory. The call to men is not to save themselves from a coming world catastrophe, nor to horrify the present with fear of it, but to bring the Kingdom of Heaven on earth, and to that end to pray that God's will may be done on earth as in heaven. "Fear not, little flock," said Christ to his faithful Eleven, "for it is your Father's pleasure to give you a Kingdom."

No one would wish to go back to the condition of world morals of two thousand years ago. The Golden Rule, the gospel of self-sacrifice, the doctrine of applied love—all the fruit of Christ's teaching—now crystallized into institutions and laws, seem to be a substantial guaranty that under Christianity we shall see peace on earth and good will among men to an increasing degree. Practical Christianity has much more to do with hope than with horror.

Urging the Grass Diet

(From the Buffalo Express)
"Germans Urged to Eat Grass," says a Copenhagen despatch. The French were urged to do likewise some time previous to the introduction of Madame la Guillotine.

Best Get the Habit

(From a Letter to the Editor of the New York Evening Post)
"Germans taught to eat grass," says the morning paper. Preparing already I suppose, against the day when they shall have to bite the dust.

May-Be

(From the Springfield Republican)
If this weather keeps up much longer somebody will be starting a movement to turn back the calendar as well as the clock.

True to Prognostication

(From the Providence Journal)
With not a little curiosity yet confident that we shall be confirmed in our faith—the faith implanted in our sires' generation—none—in the unrivaled prophetic efficiency of the Old Farmer's Almanack, we turn to the pages of that yellow-covered repository of "new, useful and entertaining matter" for the one hundred and twenty-fifth year of publication, 1917, to the month of May.

What do we find? Exactly as we anticipated, a forecast of this strange month of May months just about as the bird-sighted prophets of the Weather Bureau will set it down after the phenomenal record is completed. Early in the month "Northerly to Easterly winds"—the Old Farmer's prophecy came true to a dot. For the middle of the month: "Showers followed, perhaps by frosts"—we had them, didn't we? Last week: "Cool winds with sunshine"—was it not so? And now, for the closing days of this erratic May: "A day or two of rain." We have had two days of rain.

The meteorological scientists at Washington scoff at the pretensions of the Old Farmer's, with its forecasts covering a whole year. Our Weather Bureau tries in vain to prophesy a single week ahead, and frequently fails to prophesy correctly twenty-four hours ahead. Its envy of New England's favorite prophet is not surprising. So long ago as when we purchased the current issue of the old reliable Almanack, for the small price of ten cents, we might have learned what to expect in this month of May.

Deserves Our Love and Trust

(From the Springfield Republican)
It is not to be wondered at that the helpful public speaking William H. Taft has been doing for so long has so taxed his voice that he is ordered to take complete rest for a week. This he should conscientiously do, in behalf of the many public interests which he has served with disinterested power. The

man who helps where he can and, all he can is the one the people most love and trust.

Hand the Hoe to Hohenzollern
(From the Baltimore American)
The ex-Czar and his family are hoeing potatoes at their summer estate to which they are confined. It is a much more harmless and useful occupation than trying to run a big nation on the one-man-will—the-supreme-law-of-the-land basis.

COUNCIL ENDS DOVER FIGHT

Conceded, June 1.—Albert W. Winn was appointed a member of the Dover police commission yesterday afternoon by the governor and council, bringing to an end a long drawn out struggle by various conflicting interests to have a successor named for the late chairman Henry A. Stone of the board. Mr. Winn was a dark horse, his name not having figured in the least prominently in the dickering which has been going on.

Dr. Evarist C. Tremblay of Manchester was reappointed to the state board of optometry. There was a hearing on a pardon for Howard Warren, now of Haverhill, Mass., a parole man from the state prison, who desires a full pardon. Warren was convicted of assault with intent to kill a keeper at the state industrial school and sentenced to not less than two nor more than five years in state prison. He has served the two years and is out on parole. Acting County Solicitor Ivory C. Eaton of Nashua and Chief Michael J. Henley of the Manchester police department appeared in opposition. No action was taken by the council today.

OLYMPIA THEATRE NOTES.

A well informed moving picture press agent last week referred to "Secretary of the Navy William G. McAdoo." Probably because he is floating a loan. Gladys Brockwell of the Fox studios has formed a Red Cross class at the west coast studios at Los Angeles. The Pathe company is holding out Liberty Loan. The vice president of the company has announced that he is receiving subscriptions for the bonds from his employees giving to each subscriber the privilege of paying for them at the rate of 1 a week for each \$50 bond.

Ernie Markley who appeared a week ago with William Desmond in that excellent "Triangle play of the business world, 'Blood Will Tell,' has left the Triangle company. We cannot understand why she was cast to play in the latter picture with a accomplished actor as Desmond. Certainly her presence detracted from the success of the picture. To be brief, Ernie Markley has not the qualities of an actress, and it is possible that some day she will become an actress. Undoubtedly there are scores of the so-called "extra" players in the employ of such who would have created a lasting and sympathetic impression in the role assumed by Miss Markley. However, in looking over the coming Desmond-Triangle pictures we find that his success in the coming pictures will not be hampered by an untalented leading lady.

Mary Pickford is coming out Independence day in a New Artcraft picture, "The Little American." The Artcraft pictures are very good, but the daily rental asked for them is almost prohibitive to the small town theatres.

Our great program today is head-d with the Triangle-Dee western subject, "The Square-Dead Man," with William Hart at his best.

We see Hart in a new role, that of a ranch owner and there is not a doubt but that this is one of the best Triangle plays that this star has yet appeared in.

This picture will be shown three times daily: Matinee at 2:15; tonight at 7:00 and 9:15; Saturday evening at 6:30 and 8:30.

The Bluebird picture is one of those unusual artistic plays produced by that company. It is "The Girl Gift," a sensational story of a Persian harem and modern Paris.

Louise Lovely and Rupert Julian (star of "The Begler of Algiers") have the leading roles.

Molly King and Leon Barry co-star in the fourth chapter of "The Mystery of the Double Cross," entitled "Kidnapped."

The great mystery of this serial is sustained and the interest continued in this thrilling episode.

MAJOR KEENAN DIES AT DOVER

Prominent in Military and Civic Affairs and Member of Many Orders.

Major Frank H. Keenan of Dover died on Thursday. He was one of the best known and active citizens of the Cochee City. He had served in the city council, the legislature and the state militia from which he retired with the rank of major.

Mr. Keenan was Past Exalted Ruler of Dover Lodge of Elks. He was also a Past District Deputy of the order. For many years he was secretary of Court Strafford, Foresters of America, and had been through the chairs of that order. He was a member of Dover Council, Knights of Columbus, Division 3, A. O. U. and a life member of the De La Salle society, a member of Kankamigwa Tribe of Iktan and Dover Lodge, N. E. O. P. He was 65 years of age.

TABULATION OF THE VOTE

The following is the tabulation of the vote cast for congressman at the recent election:

	Barringtons, Sullivan.
Albany	10
Allenstown	61
Alton	164
Attitash	56
Auburn	78
Barnstead	130
Barrington	118
Bartlett	44
Bedford	126
Belmont	124
Brentwood	50
Brookfield	26
Candia	70
Canton	65
Center Harbor	42
Chatham	101
Chester	78
Chichester	369
Conway	369
Danville	97
Deerfield	115
Derry	403
Dover—Ward 1	294
Ward 2	229
Ward 3	275
Ward 4	287
Ward 5	10
Durham	105
East Kingston	53
East	53
Ellington	61
Eppling	57
Exeter	77
Exeter	500
Farmington	381
Freedom	58
Freemont	97
Gilford	56
Gilmanton	114
Goffstown	293
Greenland	80
Hampstead	50
Hampton	214
Hampton Falls	72
Hart's Location	152
Hobbs	161
Hudson	161
Jackson	56
Kensington	32
Kingston	112
Leconia—Ward 1	71
Ward 2	145
Ward 3	83
Ward 4	112
Ward 5	168
Ward 6	257
Lee	55
Litchfield	28
Londonderry	160
London	51
Madbury	38
Madison	62
Manchester—Ward 1	339
Ward 2	158
Ward 3	128
Ward 4	339
Ward 5	96
Ward 6	306
Ward 7	50
Ward 8	263
Ward 9	291
Ward 10	233
Ward 11	139
Ward 12	131
Ward 13	130
Meredith	246
Merrimack	116
Middleton	22
Milton	230
Moultonborough	210
New Durham	23
New Hampton	75
New Castle	29
Newfields	49
Newington	19
Newmarket	160
Newton	126
North Hampton	85
Northfield	133
Northwood	122
Nottingham	89
Ossipee	150
Pelham	45
Pembroke	121
Pittsfield	274
Plainfield	128
Portsmouth—Ward 1	173
Ward 2	392
Ward 3	81
Ward 4	119
Ward 5	69
Raymond	94
Rochester—Ward 1	159
Ward 2	130
Ward 3	137
Ward 4	162
Ward 5	116
Ward 6	221
Rollinsford	103
Rye	91
Salem	211
Sanbornton	105
Sandown	41
Sandwich	113
Seabrook	130
Somersworth—Ward 1	71
Ward 2	71
Ward 3	41
Ward 4	14
Ward 5	16
South Hampton	26
Strafford	58
Stratham	75
Tamworth	103
Tilton	176
Tiltonboro	79
Wakefield	111
Windham	69
Wolfeboro	291

NAVY NOTES

Thirty Die at Great Lakes

It has been announced at Chicago that 30 deaths from meningitis have occurred during the war, at the recruiting station on the Great Lakes. Eighty men were treated at the station's hospital in the six months period

for meningitis, and at present ten cases are being treated. It is stated that all but four are convalescing. The training station's sick list now totals 300 men but the great majority are suffering from minor ailments.

Sailors Talking of a Picnic

The crew of the U. S. S. Baltimore who recently conducted a public dance, reception and minstrel show, will later plan for a picnic at some nearby summer resort to conclude with a dance in the evening.

The party will be a complimentary affair and it is safe to say that if the jacks of the ship carry out such plans, those who will have the pleasure of attending will be treated to a day of rare enjoyment. The location is to be selected by a committee at a later date.

Admiral Uphur Dead

Rear Admiral John H. Uphur, 91, U. S. N., retired, is dead at his home in Washington. Heart disease was the cause of death. Admiral Uphur had a notable record in American naval history, taking important places in the Mexican and Civil wars. He is survived by his wife, two sons, George J. Uphur of New York City and Curtis Clarke Uphur of Norfolk, Va., and two daughters, Mrs. K. U. Moorhead of Washington and Mrs. William H. Hunt of San Francisco.

Four Hundred Will Try

Four hundred applications have been received by the navy department for the examination for assistant paymaster in the reserve corps of the navy which takes place in Boston and Portsmouth today.

Chance in Four Trades.

The industrial department is in need of several shipfitters, shipbuilders, boat builders and molders for immediate and steady work.

Retired Officer Coming Here.

Commander C. N. Atwater, retired, for several years in command of the Massachusetts training ship Ranger, is said to have been called back to active duty and will report at the Portsmouth navy yard for duty as senior training officer in the coast patrol. He is known as one of the best men of the service on navigation.

The Best So Far.

The latest addition and the best boat so far added to the patrol fleet is the Alert, which arrived from Boston this morning. The boat was formerly owned by Mr. Stone of Stone & Webster.

Needs Better Dock.

The valuable time lost by the government ferry No. 1048, in getting away and making the landings at Daniel street, especially when coal vessels are at the Power Plant, proves that the navy needs a new dock or a great improvement in the present one.

Regulation Paint.

The patrol boat Halcyon, taken over from the bureau of fisheries, is being painted the regulation color and will be ready for service in a few days.

Sixty Here for Examination.

About sixty young men are said to have appeared for the assistant paymasters' examination held at the Portsmouth navy yard today.

Seven in the Fleet So Far.

The patrol fleet making headquarters at the local navy yard now includes the Olga, Ventura, Halcyon, Eddison, Estelle, Athetross and Alert. Part of the fleet tie up in the back channel.

CITY OFFICIALS IN CONFERENCE WITH RAILROAD HEADS

Mayor Samuel T. Ladd, City Solicitor S. W. Emery and John W. Parsons of the Board of Public Works are in Boston today in conference with the Boston and Maine officials relative to the paving and track on Middle street.

Read the Want Ads.

EIGHT MORE MEN NEEDED FOR STATE GUARD

The little town of Hampton has furnished 25 men for the State Guard. Portsmouth has only given 16. Dover has given 24. It is time that the men and boys of Portsmouth wake up and realized that we are at war and that service in the Home Guard or State Guard will be serving your country just as much as if you went to France. Captain Wynt will be at his office this evening from 6.30 until 9.00 p. m. and will accept eight more men from Portsmouth, although the company has 60 men now.

It is certainly a shame to let a company be known as a Portsmouth company and yet furnish the least men of any of the other towns and cities. This will positively be the last chance for anyone to get into the Guard unless a majority of the men fall in their physical examination and this is not likely. Remember that tonight is your last chance as the company will positively close at 9 p. m. We want young men not yet 18, and over 16; any married man; any man who has been refused by the national guard, army or navy. The recruiting office is in the new McIntosh block, 31 Fleet street, suite 5-7.

PERFECT PLANS FOR RECRUITING

Chairman A. D. Jencks of the recruiting committee is having wonderful success in his campaign to raise 800 men for the New Hampshire National Guard. Mr. Jencks has enlisted 2500 men and women in the state to assist him. The captains of the various companies in the state will have men at all the polling places on Tuesday and two women will also assist at each place. The men are to be enrolled in field artillery, cavalry, signal corps, field hospital company, sanitary troops, machine gun company, signal company and coast artillery.

The recruiting committee is carrying out its plans in full accordance with the ideas of Governor Henry W. Keyes and Adjutant General Charles W. Howard. The adjutant general has instructed the commanding officers of each military unit to detail men to all polling places wherever possible and to secure the needed 800 men. It is estimated that 3000 enrollments will be necessary. It is the hope of the committee that by the drive on recruiting on registration day that enough men will be enrolled to make a further campaign in this direction unnecessary.

The recent recruiting campaign resulted in 700 enrollments and an increase to the enlisted force of 250 men for the national guard. This is exclusive of the large number who enlisted in the regular army, navy (marine corps and naval reserve corps of different branches).

There is every advantage to the man who enlists now. First, he will be with men whom he knows and men of his own state as an organization. Secondly he will be enabled to choose that branch of the service which suits his individual taste best and will not be forced to enter that arm of the national forces which he is forced to accept by assignment under the draft, and last but by no means least, is the quick and almost certain opportunity for early promotion.

OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Harriet E. Edgerly
The remains of Mrs. Harriet E. Edgerly who died at Melrose Monday, May 28th, were brought to this city Thursday forenoon. Interment was in Harmony Grove cemetery under the direction of J. Verne Wood.

The local merchants are now being solicited for another advertising scheme handled by outside parties. People who pay for mismanagement used to object to being "worked."

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Flashlight Photos Taken Last Saturday Afternoon Will Be Given Away FREE to Those Attending Tomorrow Afternoon.

ENGLISH NEWSPAPERS EXPRESS MUCH GRATIFICATION

Melbourne, Australia, May 31.—Great satisfaction over the fact that the United States is now actively on the side of Great Britain and her allies in the war is expressed by newspapers in Australia.

Australians of every class and creed will join gladly with the people of Great Britain in welcoming America into the past which binds us to our gallant European brothers in arms," says The Melbourne Age. "And one welcome to America is not the least cordial because most of us had all that despaired until quite lately that she would ever respond to the stimulus which have already sent 300,000 Australian lads to venture death in pursuit of an unselfish and resplendent ideal of the tortured battle fields of France. America at length has responded our cause and justified our action in the manner unexceptional."

"That the United States should have decided to join the Allies in the war is a tremendous event in the history of the world said The Melbourne Argus. "It is certainly the most momentous event of the war since the fateful days of August, 1914. It is fitting that a victory upon the United States"

next week will go on his first tour of inspection of the northeastern department, which he has commanded since its creation May 1. He plans to leave Boston Monday morning for Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. Two new regiments of cavalry are to be formed at this army post, a matter which will occupy his attention. Tuesday he will go to Plattsburg to inspect the New England division of the officers' training camp and will return to Boston on Wednesday night or Thursday morning.

Three are indicted as traitors

(By Associated Press)

From all parts of the country word comes of the strong agitation against registration under the selective draft measure passed by Congress for the raising of a new army and the government officials are showing the greatest activity in attempting to stamp out the movement. Arrests are being made and the government is ready to prosecute persons found guilty of attempting to prevent the registration of those subject to the laws. Arrests were made yesterday of nearly a dozen persons, and in one case the charge of treason was placed against three alleged offenders, with the probability of death following their conviction.

Nine arrests in Kansas City
Kansas City, Mo., May 31.—Federal authorities in Western Missouri and in Kansas City have in custody nine persons charged with implication in anti-registration movements and in connection with plots to prevent registration. Four men and one woman in Kansas City were placed under arrest following an investigation into an alleged plot and three men and one woman were taken into custody at Topeka. Those arrested are Raymond Moore, who will be brought before Commissioner Thomas Sullivan tomorrow, Alvin, an attorney, and J. D. Shaw, who was arrested on an injunction against Governor Graham to prevent him holding the registration on June 5 as ordered by the government, while they were discussing with the judge the question of the injunction they were placed under arrest by federal officers. Five others were arrested although two were later released. One of those arrested was Moore's wife, the others being Elia Lubosky, a photographer, and H. D. Kleinschmidt, of Cordon. Mr. Both were held for further hearing and arraignment in \$5,000 each. At Topeka the arrested persons are Dr. Eva Harding, the Gilberg, Fred E. Felton, and Ernest Newman, after an investigation into a mass meeting led by them on Sunday when it is alleged the message of anti-registration was preached to a large number of young men.

Treason Charge Against Three
Columbus, Ohio, May 31.—Charges of treason against the United States for alleged participation in agitation against registration for the selective draft was preferred against three men today before Judge Johnson of the circuit court and they were held in \$25,000 each pending a further investigation on Saturday. Those arrested are Amos A. Heninger, a Junior at Ohio State University; Harry E. Tomlinson, a printer; and Cecil W. Bailey, mechanic.

Others arrested for alleged complicity in anti-registration plots are Olin Wulshroff and John L. Hammond for attempting to incite operatives in the mining districts to resist registration. The three indicted showed no fear or shrinking when the charge of treason was preferred against them although it was pointed out to them that the penalty might be death.

Columbia Students Held
New York, May 31.—Federal agents today arrested three students, two from Columbia University and held them for hearing before the United States Courts tomorrow in \$1500 bonds each. The defendants against the charge of attempts to defeat the registration of males subject to the army draft laws on June 5, are Owen Cattell, son of J. McKee Cattell, professor at Columbia, Charles Phillips, and Miss Edith Parker, Belmont College.

EXCHANGE OF FINE ARTS

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City, June 1.—Reproductions of some of the more famous examples of Aztec sculpture have been sent by the Mexican government as a gift to Rodin, the French sculptor, Rodin, in return, has promised to send a reproduction of one of his works to be placed in the National academy of Fine Arts in Mexico City.

NOTICE TO ROCKINGHAM COUNTY CONVENTION

There will be a special meeting of the Rockingham County Convention, on the fourth day of June, 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Court room at Exeter, N. H., for the purpose of considering the vote passed by the convention April 11, 1917, authorizing the commissioners to issue bonds to the amount of \$25,000 to meet the expenses of holding the Men's Home and County Administration Building at the County House, Exeter, N. H., on June 11, 1917, and to consider any other business that may come before the convention. Dated at Portsmouth, this 25th day of May, 1917.

H. W. M. 28.

SOUTH END THREATENED WITH FIRE

HOME OF ARTHUR L. YOUNG ON HUMPHREY'S COURT BADLY DAMAGED BY BLAZE LAST EVENING.

Fire believed to have started from a gas light in the attic did several hundred dollars damage to the home of Arthur L. Young, 7 Humphrey's Court, South End, on Thursday evening, burning the roof almost entirely off and threatening the whole building. Damage to the remainder of the house, including furnishings, was caused by the water which the firemen were forced to pour onto the flames to prevent the fire spreading to other houses in the vicinity.

Shortly after 10:00 o'clock an alarm from box 26 called the department to the scene and several lines of hose were laid, pouring in tons of water. The flames had broken through the roof and for a time it was feared that the entire building would be destroyed. The department succeeded in preventing the flames spreading to other houses in the neighborhood and also from getting into the walls of the house. The all out was sounded at 11:35 but the chemical company remained on the scene and finished the work of extinguishing the blaze, returning to their station at 11:45.

One of the members of the household had been in the attic of the house and had left for downstairs, leaving a gas jet burning. It is thought that the heat from the flame caused the roof to catch and a few moments the fire broke out, the entire roof being on fire. The loss is partly covered by insurance. Mr. Young is a deputy collector of Internal Revenue attached to the Portsmouth office.

CITY COUNCIL NAMES P. E. KANE OVERSEER OF POOR

SPECIAL MEETING OF SHORT DURATION PASSES USUAL DISCOUNT FOR EARLY PAYMENT OF TAXES

At a special meeting of the City Council held on Thursday P. E. Kane was elected Overseer of the Poor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of William Casey who was elected at the first of the year. Mr. Kane's election was unanimous as no other candidate was mentioned for the post.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 o'clock with Counsellors Baynes, Wendell, Kirkpatrick, Weeks and Sullivan, present and the resignation of William Casey as Overseer of the Poor was presented and accepted. Mr. Kane was immediately elected to fill the vacancy.

The usual resolution ordering a three per cent discount on taxes for 1917 if paid before July 15, and two per cent discount if paid before Aug. 15, was presented and passed without discussion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 without a day.

TO ALL UNITED STATES MARSHALS.

Directions for enforcement of President's Proclamation, April 6th, 1917, are hereby modified by extending time for removal from forbidden areas, and applications by alien enemies for permits may be filed up to seven p. m. of June ninth. Any person residing or found within a forbidden area after that date without a permit will be liable to arrest and detention.

By order of the President,
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RECRUIT FIRST HAD TO CLOTHE "SEPTEMBER MORN."
Then Cautious Officer Felt Men of the Navy Would be Safe, and Passed Him

Milwaukee, May 31.—Not because he was of an artistic temperament was a recruit in the navy rejected at the Milwaukee office last Saturday, but because he wore his hat on his sleeve as it were, it was not until the examining doctor saw the figure of "September Morn" tattooed on his upper right arm that he was refused admittance to service in the navy. It was considered just a trifle indecent.

Indebted, the applicant went to Chicago where the work of art had first been produced, and asked the operator with the needle if he could provide some clothes for the shivering artist.

A bathing suit was decided upon as

the most appropriate costume and now Miss "September Morn" stands shivering no more for she is ready for a dip and would pass the sanction of the most vigilant watterer on the beach of Lake Michigan.

The Milwaukee physicians too, were satisfied and today the ambitious artist joined the "U. S. Navy."

\$80,000,000 WAR TAX ON HOME TABLE

SUM TO BE RAISED ON SUGAR, TEA, COFFEE AND COCOA

Washington, May 31.—The Senate Finance committee today decided to provide in the war tax bill for the raising of \$80,000,000 by consumption taxes of 2 cents a pound on coffee, 5 cents on tea, 1-2 cent on sugar and 3 cents on cocoa.

Another important change agreed upon was the elimination of the present tax of 12 1-2 per cent tax on war munitions, now raising \$25,000,000.

Substitutes for tea and coffee also will be taxed.

From the new taxes the committee estimates the following revenue will be raised: Sugar, \$50,000,000; coffee, \$15,000,000; tea, \$3,000,000, and cocoa, \$7,000,000. Coffee and tea taxes will be levied upon imports. Arrangements are being made to take care of import contracts made before May 1 by requiring purchasers from importers, instead of the latter, to pay the taxes. Under the House bill it was proposed to tax coffee 1 cent a pound and tea 2 cents.

The decision to abolish the present special tax of 12 1-2 per cent on war munitions was said to be due to two reasons—eliminating of the tax and imposition of increased excess profits on all corporations, which will reach the munitions makers. While this year revenue from the munitions tax was estimated to yield \$25,000,000, treasury experts told the committee it would be much smaller next year.

Another provision adopted today by the committee would exempt from taxation alcohol reclaimed by refining beer and reducing its alcohol content in the making of "near-beer" when such alcohol becomes denatured for commercial purposes.

The committee did not discuss the proposed postal increase on second-class publications.

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Here is told how to prepare an inexpensive lemon lotion which can be used to bring back to any skin the sweet freshness, softness, whiteness and beauty.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold cream. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smootheners and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands, and see for yourself.

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ADMIRAL UPSHUR SAW SERVICE WITH COM. PERRY

DIED IN WASHINGTON AT THE AGE OF 34 YEARS.—HAD LONG NAVAL CAREER.

Washington, May 31.—American naval officers everywhere today were mourning the death of Rear Admiral John H. Uphur, who, until his death here last night of heart failure, was the oldest living graduate of the naval academy and dean of the flag service. He was 94 years old and his naval career had included service with Commodore Perry in the historic voyage to Japan, serving in the Civil war with Porter and many important commands with the newer navy.

OSGOOD LODGE SUBSCRIBES TO LIBERTY LOAN

Portsmouth can now boast of another organization with enough patriotism to come to the support of the nation in one of the ways that will help bring the war to a speedy close. At the regular meeting of Osgood Lodge No. 45, I. O. O. F., it was voted to subscribe to the Liberty Loan and purchase a bond of \$100 denomination.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Lowell of Osgood will arrive next week at their summer home at Dover Bluffs, York Beach for the season.



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JAPAN ASKS CREDITS FOR WARSHIP CONSTRUCTION

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, May 31.—Credits totaling in the vicinity of \$130,329,550 will be asked for warship construction at the coming special session of the Diet in June, according to the forecast of the semi-official press.

The appropriation includes credits for the naval repletion program which calls for eight super-dreadnaughts and the maintenance of four fast battle-cruisers. The war craft to be newly constructed, according to the present program are one 32,200-ton battleship, two cruisers of 7,200 and 3,500 tons respectively, two destroyers of 1,200 and 700 tons respectively, two submarines of 700 tons each, and a special commission ship of 10,000 tons.

The battleship, or super-dreadnaught, will be built in accordance with the plan by the Japanese navy. The question as to whether it will mount twelve 14-inch or twelve 16-inch guns, is still unsettled. Japan finds it difficult to build the largest size guns in its own yards, and it is impossible at the present time to import them from England as in the past.

Fixing the displacement of the new submarines at 700 tons, presumably has been decided upon in view of the difficulty of building submarines of larger type at the domestic yards un-

der the conditions obtaining at present.

The navy appropriations to be introduced in the coming special session are thus limited to the extent for the fulfillment of the already settled repletion program on the basis of the eight battleships and four cruiser units. But in view of the recent tendency in European countries and the United States which are steadily increasing or expanding their naval strength, the imperial navy may introduce a new appropriation bill at the winter session providing for the speedy completion of the eight battleships and four cruisers.

Among high officers of the navy the opinion is growing that Japan should have a first line battle fleet of eight super-dreadnaughts and eight battle-cruisers in order to avoid falling too far behind in sea armament. The repletion amount which it is proposed to expend in the pending fiscal year is \$7,250,000.

Naval authorities have pointed to the rapid increase in American naval strength as a reason for more speedy Japanese expansion.

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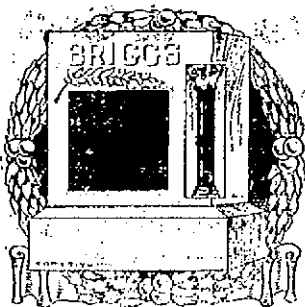
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EXTEND TIME FOR ALIENS TO REGISTER

JUNE 3 NOW THE DATE INSTEAD OF JUNE 1 AS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED.

United States Marshal Mitchell announced this afternoon that the time for alien enemies to register had been extended until Saturday, June 3, at 7 p. m. The original time was to have ended June 1.

Ordinarily, today was the last day, in accordance with the President's proclamation. As a result the marshal's office was jammed today from early morning, there being a line of applicants on hand before the office opened. The extra forces of the office had their hands full that handled the crowd rapidly. More than 300 applications will be received today in the Boston office alone. It is estimated, while as many more will probably be taken in by deputies who are working in other parts of the state.

Although close to 3000 applicants have applied thus far, this is far from the total number of alien enemies in Massachusetts.

Some interesting incidents cropped out today. One man named Dixon came to the office, said he was a German and wanted to register. He was colored and the deputies looked at him with some surprise. He insisted that he was born in Germany and that he had maintained his allegiance to the Kaiser. He had the accent of a typical American Negro.

Another old man registered who has lived in this country since 1872 and has held his German citizenship through all these years.

Another applicant served three years in the United States cavalry and another two years in the navy, both being honorably discharged. The latter was discharged because of disability. Both were advised to seek citizenship on the ground of their service.

The majority of the applicants have their first citizenship papers, many of them having taken them out several years ago and neglected to complete the work of becoming full-fledged Americans. They express regret now and declare they will finish the job as soon as the war is over. Many of them, even some who came here from interned German lines in their buttonholes.

General naturalization business took a jump today, the naturalization office being crowded and a line extending the entire length of the corridor.

Agents of the department of justice are busily engaged in running down rumors about efforts to interfere with registration. June 5. Every effort will be made to prevent anti-draft literature from being spread around.

United States Marshal Mitchell

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MURDERER SMALL MAY ESCAPE ROPE

Concord, May 31.—Frederick L. Small of Mountaintop, formerly a Boston broker, who has been condemned to die on Jan. 15, 1918, may elude the gallows. He was found guilty of the murder of his wife, Florence Allen (Cory) Small, on Sept. 28, 1916. Mrs. Small's body was found in the ruins of a cottage at Ossipee lake which she and her husband had occupied for many months. Testimony offered at the trial showed that Small first killed his wife, then by incendiary means fired the cottage in an attempt to conceal evidence of the crime. An appeal for a new trial is now before the superior court.

In his cell in the state prison the murderer pines back and forth nervously, or sits on his cot and broods alone after hours.

No longer does a grin of defiance or a meekness of contempt for the fate that awaits him mar the prisoner's lips. The man's face is drawn and marked by the lines of worry and the look of fear has appeared in his staring eyes.

Efforts of his lawyers to keep him entertained and to distract his mind from the thought of the coming execution are useless. Small pays no attention to those who try to cheer him; he shows no interest in the activity of his counsel who are trying to obtain a new trial for him; all through the day and even after he lies down on his cot at night he dwells on his conviction and sentence.

Small's mental condition is having a marked effect on his health, and the keepers seriously fear that he will break under the strain. More exercise has been granted him and everything possible will be done to bring him to good health.

SOME COMMON SENSE APLACE.

It is easy to understand and sympathize with the efforts of many men and women who think it necessary to urge the American people to make drastic reforms in their mode of life. In nearly every instance their patriotic motive cannot be questioned. They are quite sure that they are performing acts of patriotic leadership and many of them regard those who may question the wisdom of some of their proposals as unable to see beyond their own selfish desires and ambitions.

Fifty women socially prominent in New York have just taken the initiative in their city of reducing the number of courses at their meals. No matter how many guests they may be entertaining at luncheon, there shall be henceforth only two courses instead of six, and at dinner only three courses will be served instead of eight. A newspaper which devotes much space to social news hails the "First Fifty" as leaders in " Spartan simplicity."

Other women urge strict economy in dress. Automobiles are not to be used. Some women talk learnedly of calories, proteins and carbohydrates, and urge the consumption of only those foods having a high nutritive value, although some foods are necessary for other than purely nourishment.

Men anxious to show their patriotism have hired laborers to plow up their front lawns and to substitute turnips for turf, potatoes for peonies. Not being familiar with the prevailing price of labor these men have accepted any rate of pay that the laborers have been quick-witted enough to ask. The result has been that many workmen have been receiving as much for two hours of such labor as they have been receiving for eight hours of solid work on market gardens. And the farmers have been at times totally unable to secure labor. The final consequence will be waste of much effort and similar and more expensive crops wherever this form of patriotic enthusiasm has flourished.

Great Britain went through the same experience in the early stages of the war. There women prominent socially urged radical changes. The result, as already pointed out by Mrs. Stotesbury, was that many thousands of women were thrown out of work and were helped to some extent by the charities in turn supported by the women of social prominence who urged extreme economies.

The reduction of the number of courses by rich New York hostesses will probably prove as futile a saving in food as it was in London when the leading hotels were urged to make the same limits in the number of courses. The London hotels served just as many delicious in the form of rare and exotic foods, even in mass formation instead of "à la skindish line." We need not worry that such economies will cause any corner in meat.

Men and women who advocate drastic measures do not always carry their thought to logical conclusions. It might seem an excellent form of sacrifice to discharge the chauffeur, giving him a letter of recommendation to the nearest recruiting officer. If every chauffeur were thus "sacrificed" more than 110,000 men would be thrown out of work, and as many of them would be unable to meet the extremely rigid requirements of the army surgeons, they would be just out of a job. Another 100,000 highly skilled mechanics would be seriously affected, because they are engaged in the manufacture of automobiles, and since this industry uses \$603,000,000 worth of materials, other industries would likewise be forced to discharge many men.

If, for purpose of economy, persons engaged in domestic and personal service were sacrificed more than 3,675,000 men and women would be thrown out of employment.

A rigid economy in dress would affect the employment of at least 4,500 workers. Widespread curtailment in building construction would have a serious influence on more than 5,200,000 wage-earners.

It is perhaps fortunate, therefore, that persons who are so anxious to raise this country to concert pitch do not meet with unanimous approval. If all the advice they have offered were followed this great industrial empire would become disorganized to a far greater extent than Russia is today and would present problems to our Government exceeding those of the prosecution of the war.

No such events are likely to occur since common-sense will prevent it. It is unfortunate, however, that persons in their anxiety to impress us with the necessity of such drastic measures make extreme statements about our dangers. In urging the necessity for cultivating more land they cause many people to hoard foodstuffs and drive up prices unnecessarily. The whole campaign tends to produce a regrettable hysteria that disintegrates our industrial life. Temperance is a virtue not limited to the consumption of alcohol. Our industrial life must undergo certain reorganizations, but not disorganization. It is the foundation on which we live and on which we must fight. It is not the part of wisdom to undermine that foundation. Uncle Dudley—Boston Globe.

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Just about the time the Wakelin murder mystery is being forgotten the police spring a surprise in the arrest of the parents this morning.

Welcome, June, but if you can't do better in the winter than did May you will not be loved.

SENATOR BURROUGHS SAYS HERALD

In commenting on the election to Congress in this district of Sherman E. Burroughs the Boston Herald in its editorial columns has suggested that Mr. Burroughs will be the successor of Senator Hollis at the expiration of the latter's term. The Herald's comment and prediction follows:

Burroughs Wins in New Hampshire
The obvious and entirely truthful comment to make on the outcome of the New Hampshire election yesterday is this: "The expected has happened." Although both New Hampshire districts are close, and in periods of tie-publican weakness have swung over to the Democracy, as in the early thirties, they have been Republican most of the time since then. This particular district elected Mr. Sulloway eleven times, denying him of the seat only in the year of Progressive disruption.

The Democrats were foolish to assume they could carry such a district as this on the issue of "standing by the president." All right-thinking people in New Hampshire, regardless of party, are standing behind the president in the sense that he is at the head of the republic and charged with responsibility for its conduct. But many more doubtless in both parties, inclined to vote for Burroughs believing the times came when a strengthened minority in each house of congress would prove an exceedingly valuable asset to the nation as a check on the power-grasping plans of the now dominant Democracy.

Mr. Burroughs' election gives further evidence that prohibition as an issue does not kill Republicanism in New Hampshire. The Republican legislature had just passed a "bone dry" bill to become operative on May 1 next, to the great dismay of Portsmouth, where the brewery interest is material as well as to the cities which prize the license privilege.

Opponents of this legislation argued that they must rebuke the Republican party therefore, by selecting Mr. Burroughs, the Republicans nominated a thick and thin defender of that policy, and an advocate of war prohibition. His opponent even felt obliged to send out an eleven-hour drive to the effect that if President Wilson led in a war prohibition proposal, Mr. Sullivan, as a New Hampshire representative, would offer no resistance.

Mr. Burroughs is one of the most accomplished men in New Hampshire politics. He will doubtless be his party's candidate for the United States senate, either as the successor of Mr. Hollis when his term expires next year, or on the inevitable retirement of Mr. Gallagher, which unfortunately cannot long be postponed, since he is the senior member of the United States senate. We believe, therefore, that, before many years it will be "Squire Burroughs."

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TO LET—Barn for automobiles and also storage. Middle St., opposite Lincoln Ave. Apply to Miss P. P. Wheldon, 220 Rockland St. ch 1f m23

TO LET—A furnished room on Lincoln avenue for male occupancy. Inquire Chronicle-Herald Office. ch 1f m23

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms \$3.00. Apply at this office. he m25, 1f

TO LET—Store at 15 Bridge street. Apply M. Silverman, 27 Daniel street. he m30, 1f

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FOR SALE—One bay horse, weighs 1,000 lbs.; good driver and good wind; for sale cheap. Tel. 885M. he m31, 1w

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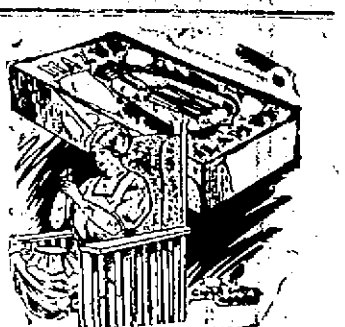
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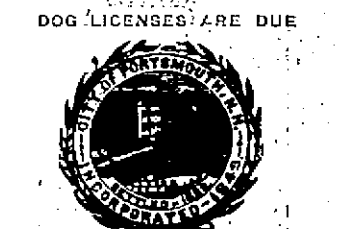
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A well known Portsmouth lady who has been spending the winter in Washington has introduced a series of luncheons to show how to meet the high cost of living. She has invited eight ladies to lunch with her and has served a four course luncheon at a total cost of \$1.00 for the eight plates. The first course, split pea soup, follow-

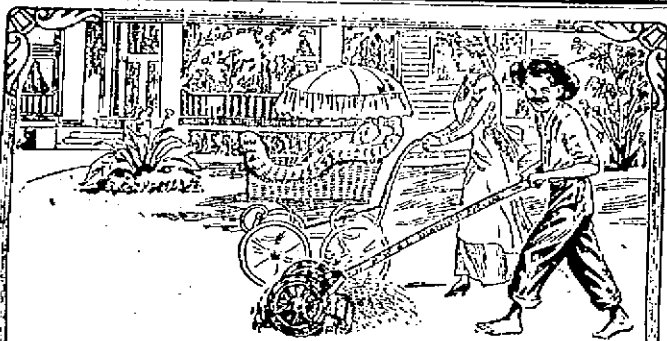
ed by veal loaf, potatoes, ice cream, cake, coffee, cheese. It would appear that one could get a very good meal from the above and it should be easy to do it for that amount. The menu above is only one of many that she has introduced. Housewives will find profit in trying some of these simple menus.

TOOK THE EXAMINATION

Several young men from this city took the examination at the navy yard on Friday for the position of assistant paymaster in the navy. It is understood that 150 appointments to this position will be made in the near future.

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CHANGE IN STREET RAILWAY MANAGEMENT

George D. Baxter on Friday succeeded J. A. MacAdams as superintendent of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury Street railway. Mr. Baxter will also retain his management of the Exeter and Hampton Electric Company, the change being in the nature of an economic merging of offices.

Mr. MacAdams will enter the engineering office of Charles H. Tenney and Company, Boston, who control both local companies. He has served as street railway superintendent here for eleven years and during this period has brought the physical equipment of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury to a high standard. He has been interested in the development of Exeter and Hampton, the beach especially. His resignation from the latter board of trade was accepted with regret and he was made an honorary member. To his new post he will carry the best wishes of friends.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the annual shift among the night and day policemen of the police department became effective at noon today.

That people are complaining bitterly of the destructive work of pigeons in gardens.

That onions and peas just coming out of the ground have suffered much from the doves.

That many gardens have been replanted.

That one man says the gun is the only defense and he is compelled to use it.

That the West End Glee club pulled some harmony on Thursday night that was never heard before.

That some of the local saloon keepers may ask for their license money paid on May 2 and go out of business.

That such action they say is necessary owing to the recent orders issued by the government regarding enlisted men.

That the recent ball and reception given by the crew of the U. S. S. Baltimore cost the navy men \$900.

That a lot of time and annoyance could be saved by people who wish to join the army by calling the recruiting station and not bothering the President and other officials in Washington with applications and questions.

That there is no use advertising for innocence, when it is lost, it's like an umbrella.

That the executive committee of the organized charities will meet at the county court house on Monday at 4 p. m.

That the half hundred emergency police appointed in Dover are to have the latest thing in rifles.

That they are under the supervision of Chief of Police Wilkinson and are only paid when doing active duty.

That a wager has been made by two local people on the Middle street paving.

That one bet that the work will not be done this summer and the other says it will.

That both Newburyport and Dover have had some experience with house thieves.

That the petition for more pay for call firemen has not as yet reached the city council.

That the man with the hoe in the garden is doing more low than many a political orator.

That a minister in Illinois appears to have bargain rates on marriage.

That when he kisses the bride only half the usual fee is charged.

OBITUARY

Verne A. Brown
Died May 30th of pneumonia at the naval hospital, Verne Andrew Brown of Oxford, Kansas, aged 13 years, 1 month, 26 days. The remains were sent to his home by A. T. Parker.

Philip H. Culver
Died at the naval hospital, May 30 of pneumonia, Philip H. Culver of Chicago, Ill., aged 13 years, 17 days. The remains were sent to his home by A. T. Parker.

CLASS COMPLETES ITS STUDIES IN HOME NURSING Papers in Hands of National Red Cross for Examination.

The class of young ladies from this city and the navy yard who have been receiving instructions from a representative of the Red Cross on home nursing and first aid, have concluded their studies and their papers have been forwarded to Washington for final examination and marking by the National association. Their work is reported to have been very gratifying.

TAKING SPECIAL COURSE

Miss Eva Cameron of the nursing corps at the Portsmouth hospital, has left for Boston where she will take a special three months' course at the Hull street dispensary.

GOING TO OHIO

Ralph Wood, clerk at the Eldredge

Browning Company, has resigned to accept a similar position in the office of the Eltry Drill and Tool Company at Toledo, Ohio.

PEOPLE You Know

Mrs. John C. Cutler of Hampton Beach was here on Thursday.

V. A. Hett and family have opened their cottage at Rye North Beach.

Postmaster Fred Sanborn of Hampton was a visitor here on Thursday.

Manager Bibber of the Colonial has returned to duty after a week's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Nason of Kennebunk were visitors in town on Sunday.

Ex-Councillor John Scammon of Exeter was here on Thursday on legal business.

Dr. Seth W. Jones of Franklin, collector of internal revenue, was here on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles A. Towle of Nashua is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Towle of this city.

Fred Obery of Thornton street, an employee of the navy yard, is restricted to his residence by illness.

E. P. Carman and wife of Lincoln avenue have returned from a visit with their daughter in Portland, Me.

Fred Poske of Toledo is quite seriously ill with typhoid fever. He married Miss May Ellery of this city.

Mr. Byron C. Spiney of Boston spent the holiday with his cousin, Mrs. May Spiney of Maplewood avenue.

Mrs. and Mrs. Summer Wallace of Rochester have opened their summer home at York Beach for the season.

W. G. Everett and Major Philip Lockwood of Manchester were here on Thursday the guests of Col. A. F. Howard.

County Commissioner George A. Carlisle of Exeter was here on Friday to attend the meeting of the county commissioners.

Mrs. John Tracey of Milwaukee returned to her home Saturday after a brief visit with her cousin, Mrs. L. May Spiney of Maplewood avenue.

Mrs. Harry H. Swanson and her mother Mrs. Reuben Task of Mount Vernon street, have returned from a visit to Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.

William H. Hampshire, a veteran of the Civil war, left on Friday morning for Tilton, N. H., where he will enter the New Hampshire Soldiers' Home.

Peter Fullam of the Granite State Fire Insurance Company has joined the navy as a yeoman in the pay department at the Boston navy yard under Paymaster A. Hovey King.

LOCAL DASHES

Chevrolet automobiles. C. E. Woods, St.

There is certainly something wrong in freight handling on the railroads. Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

The first day of June and better weather conditions are expected.

"Pitt" Woods will be seen with a live bunch in the Sunset League.

The citizens of Newcastle like the new big motor busses on the line.

All kinds of seasonable fruits and vegetables at Parus Bros. Tel. 29W.

Expert automobile washer at Sinclair Garage. Night and day service. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Some local newspaper, The Herald, is the verdict of all who appreciate a live proposition.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson and Sons, Tel. 245.

If you want to make the Portsmouth boys happy who are away with the army or navy, mail them a copy of The Herald.

Fruit, ice cream, variety goods and groceries at Lafayette Store. Open evenings.

The board of county commissioners held their regular weekly session in this city on Friday at the county building on State street.

Chalmers "6," purchased in August, 1916, for sale at a bargain. Car in fine shape. Sinclair Garage.

Sheehan's dancing class for beginners, Tuesday and Friday evenings at Freeman's hall, beginning Tuesday, June 5.

Antique furniture restored and upholstered. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

Col. William F. Cody, Buffalo Bill, will be buried Sunday morning, June 3, on "Lookout Wildcat," by the Masonic order. He was a member of that fraternity for 47 years. Funds will be raised for the erection and maintenance of the mausoleum on Lookout mountain for Col. Cody.

Your family will appreciate a box of Parus Bros' chocolates this week.

SPECIAL SALE

At Bass' Candy Department Saturday, will be Chocolate Fudge, with nuts; regular price 50c lb; price for Saturday 39c.

Also Miss Martin's famous coconut cakes for 25c per dozen.

Our special 50c chocolates for 29c lb. Bass' Drug Store, O. J. Allinson, Successor.

Is there anything more nerve-racking than a yapping dog?

WILL LAUNCH SUNSET LEAGUE COMING WEEK

At a meeting of the directors of the Sunset League held on Thursday evening it was voted to open the season the coming week. There will be six teams and the navy yard will furnish three, one from the training camp, one from the Southern, and one all navy yard team. Portsmouth will furnish three additional sides. The final arrangements will be made on Monday and the schedule arranged at once.

WARDEN SAYS SMALL STORY SURELY A FAKE

A report printed in Boston papers to the effect that Frederick L. Small of Mountain View awaiting death for wife murder at the state prison was on the verge of physical collapse, was denied on Thursday by Warden Chas. H. Rowe. Mr. Rowe said that Small is in good health.

SALOONS TO CLOSE JUNE 5

The state excise board has issued notices to all saloons directing that they close their place of business on Registration day, June 5. The board also calls the attention of the proprietors to the national law relating to the selling of drink to enlisted men in uniform.

PORTSMOUTH GROCERY CO.

7 Bars Swift's Soap.....25c
8 Bars Armour's Soap.....25c
6 Bars Kitchen Sand Soap.....25c
6 Pkgs. Washing Powder.....25c
3 Boxes Grime-off.....25c
3 Boxes Shaker Salt.....25c
3 Bottles Pickles.....25c
3 Bottles Olives.....25c
Half Pound 60c Formosa Tea and 30x Cocoa.....25c
16 BRIDGE ST.

JOSEPH DONDERO'S

Our regular 40c chocolates Saturday 25c lb. We manufacture our own ice cream from pure cream with no adulterations.

Our ice cream has that real fruit flavor and contains only the purest ingredients. We deliver Sunday. Parus Bros. Tel. 29W.

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BUYS UNION ST. HOUSE

Six rooms and large lot of land, \$500 down, balance as rent.

BUTLER & MARSHALL
5 Market Street.

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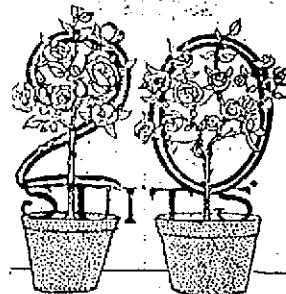
Jefferson St. house. Rents for \$16 per month.

Owner leaving town and will sell very cheap.

FRED GARDNER
Globe Building.

Genuine Ice Cream Made in Portsmouth at our Daylight Factory 102 Dennett St. "Eat a Plate Every Day."

Miss S. J. Zoller of Boston ELECTRIC NEEDLE SPECIALIST Removes Superfluous Hair. Will be at Hair Dressing Parlor of Mrs. Ida A. Nelson, 4 Globe Building, June 9. Phone Appointments There.



The Twenty-Dollar "Variety."

In our spring suit garden the twenty-dollar variety is one of the exceedingly attractive blooms. To young men the "pinchback" display will appeal owing to the great popularity of this model in all style centers. "Stein-Bloch" and "Kuppenheimer" belted pinchbacks are "the final word" for real class in this style. In the standard models for men we have our usually large showing in modest patterns and plenty of them with lots of "pep" in them.

Henry Peyser & Son

Selling the Togs of the Period.

FRANK W. KNIGHT SHOE TALKS

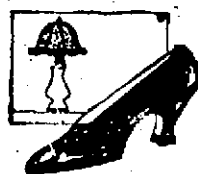
10 Market Sq. "SHOES OF QUALITY" Portsmouth.

GRACEFUL SUEDE BOOTS

There is nothing like suede to make one's feet look small, especially when the suede comes in such a soft gray shade as in these smart, graceful shoes. Cut nine inches high with well soles and leather Louis XV heels, slender of line and representative of a high quality of shoe craft. Unusual at \$8.50 a pair.

KNIGHT'S PUMPS ARE ACHIEVEMENTS

You will at once recognize that "Knight's" pumps exemplify the variety and resourcefulness of this store. They are shown in striking grays, ivory, white and black, with such grace of modeling and charm of line as to immediately identify their distinctive origination.



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